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## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE WEEK- NOVEMBER 7 - 13

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### Monday and Tuesday

- 10:30 a.m.** Missionary Sharing Time (103)  
**12:00 p.m.** Missionary Lunch (FH)  
**7:00 p.m.** Kids JAM Missionary Adventure (Various Classrooms)  
**7:00 p.m.** Missionary Evening Presentation (CMC)  
**8:15 p.m.** Missions Wrap-Up Sessions (CMC)

### Wednesday

- 9:00 a.m.** 2<sup>nd</sup> Chance Chapels Meeting (Library)  
**10:30 a.m.** Missionary Sharing Time (103)  
**12:00 p.m.** Missionary Lunch (FH)  
**6:00 p.m.** Missions Family Meal (Kitchen and Fellowship Hall)  
- Menu: Chicken noodles, mashed potatoes, green beans & pie  
- gluten-free options available  
**7:00 p.m.** Kids JAM Missionary Adventure (Various Classrooms)  
**7:00 p.m.** Missionary Evening Presentation (CMC)  
**8:15 p.m.** Missions Wrap-Up Sessions (CMC)

### Thursday

- 6:15 p.m.** College & Career Small Group (Ron & Sue Epp's House, 489 Cherry St.)  
- College students & young adults are welcome to this small group.  
Food is served at 6:15 p.m. and the Bible study begins at 7:15 p.m.  
**7:00 p.m.** GriefShare (Bluffton Town Hall, 154 N. Main St.)  
- GriefShare is a weekly support group designed to help people rebuild their lives after losing a loved one.  
**8:30 p.m.** Men's Basketball (Crossroads Ministry Center)  
- Open to all men.

### Sunday

- 9:00 a.m.** 59th Festival of Missions (Crossroads Ministry Center)  
- The festival will start with programming during the Sunday School hour and Tim Gallant sharing during the worship service.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

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- Dec. 11** Children's Christmas Program (Schoolhouse)  
- Experience the Christmas story as the children of the church perform the program "Because God Said So, That's Why!"

November 6, 2022



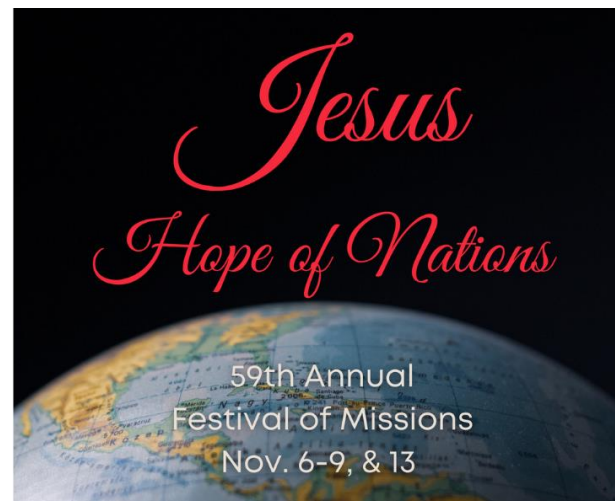
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## OPPORTUNITIES OF THE DAY

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- 9:00 a.m.** Children and Youth Sunday School (Various Classrooms)  
**9:00 a.m.** Adult Missions Presentation (Crossroads Ministry Center)  
**10:00 a.m.** Children's Church (Ages 2-6, B10 & B11)  
**10:15 a.m.** Worship Service – (Crossroads Ministry Center)  
Missions Speaker- Bob Hay- SIM  
**5:00 p.m.** Missions Banquet (Crossroads Ministry Center)  
**6:00 p.m.** Evening Missions Service (Crossroads Ministry Center)
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**Welcome to Ebenezer!** We are so happy you are here. If today is your first time joining us, please pick up a gift at the Welcome Center in the Lobby.

**Contact Cards** are available at the Welcome Center or by scanning the QR code to the right. Please update any new information or share any praises and prayer requests. If you are new, please complete a card so we may stay connected.



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## ATTENDANCE AND GIVING

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### Attendance on October 30:

Sunday School/Adult Bible Study	190
Worship Service	313

**Missions Banquet:** Remember to join us tonight at 5:00 p.m. for the Missions Banquet if you reserved a ticket. Bob Hay from SIM will be speaking after the banquet.

**Missions Conference All-Church Lunch:** Please join us for lunch next Sunday, November 13, following the worship service. The Missions Committee will provide the meat. Please bring a side dish and/or a dessert to share.

**Wednesday Night Activities:** This Wednesday during the Festival of Missions, children ages seven and above will remain with their parents for interactive missions presentations that will begin at 7 p.m. Children ages three to six will have programming in the Sanctuary and the nursery will also be available. The Wednesday Night Family Meal will include the missionaries and their families, so be sure to attend and build relationships with these special guests. Youth Dodgeball will be cancelled this week and will resume on November 16.

**Christmas Program Practice:** There will be no practice for the Christmas program this week due to the Festival of Missions. Practice will continue next week, Wednesday, November 16 in the Berean room from 6:15-7:00 p.m. The Christmas program is scheduled for December 11.

**Ice Camp Registrations:** Ice Camp registrations for Middle School (January 13-15) and High School (February 24-26) are now available on the Church Center App and on the church website.

**Family Service Opportunity:** Everyone of all ages is invited to sign up to help pack meals with Mike and Sandy Gleason on November 19th at 4pm here in the gym. There are 40 spots available, please register on the Planning Center App or at the church website to book your spots by November 9th. If you have any questions please contact Hanne Streicher.

**Church Directory:** A new pictorial directory will be produced for 2023. Scheduling of appointments has begun in the Foyer but you can also schedule your appointment online by visiting [www.ucdir.com](http://www.ucdir.com) and entering the church code OH2624 and the password "photos". You will receive a complimentary 8x10 portrait and pictorial directory for participating. The photography dates are December 14-17.

**Operation Christmas Child Dates:** Dates for drop-off of shoeboxes at the church will begin the week after the Festival of Missions, November 14-21. Please see the bulletin insert for more information.

**Snow Removal Bids:** The Trustees are asking for any interested party to submit a bid for the snow removal for the church. Please contact the church office or Kerris Wright to submit these bids by November 13.

**Bowling at Westgate:** All Middle School and High School Students are invited to a bowling night at Westgate Lanes in Lima. The cost will be \$5 per individual bowling. Meet at the church at 4:30 p.m. Contact Pastor David to sign up or with questions.

**Women's Ministries** is excited to announce the Annual Christmas Tea is back in person this year! The Tea will be held on Friday, December 2 with a 6:30 start time. Tickets are on sale now and will be \$5.00 per person. Save the date, dig out your special tea cup, and make plans to attend as we celebrate and prepare for the arrival of our Savior.

**HVAC Giving:** The trustees would like to inform the congregation that any individual wishing to make a donation to the purchase of the new HVAC unit should designate their giving to the Building Fund. For more information, please contact Kerris Wright or Dylan Whitlow.

**Hospitalized:** Marty Stemen (OSU Columbus), brother of Kay Spallinger, following an accident on Saturday, October 29.

**Orders for the Pearl Valley Cheese Sale** for the Youth Missions Trip will conclude this Sunday. Cheese will be distributed on Sunday, November 20. Order forms are still available at the church office or via the QR code. Email Pastor David with your order or drop your completed order form in green box in Foyer.

